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WILSON REACHES REAL BEGINNING OF WESTERN FIGHT

Takes Brief Respite Today With Only One Luncheon Address Scheduled; Sounds Keynote of His Appeal

ASSAILS FOES OF TREATY AND DEFENDS JAPANESE ACTS

By Associated Press.

St. Louis, Sept. 5.—President Wilson reached today the real beginning of his western speaking tour in the interests of the Peace Treaty...

Having sounded the keynote of his appeal in addresses yesterday at Columbus and Indianapolis, Mr. Wilson planned to take a brief respite from speech making to-day, before plunging into the arduous program that will carry him into virtually every western State.

Early in the afternoon, however, he was to attend a luncheon at a downtown hotel, where it was expected he would make a brief talk on the Treaty and in the evening he was to speak at the Coliseum where in 1916 he was renominated for the Presidency.

In Missouri the President found a situation as regards ratification of the Peace Treaty without an exact parallel in any other State. In the

Steel Workers Meeting to Discuss New Wages

Cleveland, Sept. 5.—John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America and other international officers, have established headquarters here, preliminary to the opening of the two weeks' convention which begins next Tuesday.

Mr. Lewis said the convention would devote its time largely to the consideration of the demand for a substantial increase in wages and the inauguration of a six-hour work day for the miners. Two thousand delegates representing 500,000 miners are expected to attend the convention.

Committees on constitution, resolutions and officers reports are engaged in formulating the reports.

Oysters Placed in City Markets at Same Prices Asked During Last Season

The oysters are with us! These glad tidings were conveyed to-day by the first visitor to a local restaurant, who had looked upon the oyster sign and come forth with his circumstance closely resembling the St. Mihiel salient before last September.

Prices are just about the same as last year, ranging around 50 and 70 cents a quart, according to the proportions of the bivalves. These are the first shipments of oysters to reach this city and all the oyster lovers are girding up their loins in preparation for a frontal attack on the succulent dainty. Many fish markets were thronged this morning by people who had long awaited the opportunity to take away a few of the bivalves, and a very few of the first arrivals were left at noon to-day. Steady shipments are promised the public from now on, and steers, raw oysters, and the like will be the watchword for the next few months.

BREWERS WAIT AWHILE

New York, Sept. 5.—In order to ascertain the final form of pending prohibition legislation will take, the general meeting of the brewers of this country, arranged to take place in Atlantic City on September 18 and 19, by the United States Brewers' Association, has been postponed to November 20 and 21, it was announced here to-day by Hugh F. Fox, secretary of the association.

THE WEATHER

Harrisburg and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday. Fair to-night and Saturday. Not much change in temperature, lowest tonight about 50 degrees.

Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair tonight, slightly warmer in northeast portion. Saturday fair, gentle east and southeast winds.

Girls of "Tenderloin" On "Inner Council" to Murder Hostages

By Associated Press.

Munich, Thursday, Sept. 4.—At the concluding examination of Bavarian communist leaders charged with having murdered hostages in this city last February, it was revealed here to-day that the "inner council" of the communist government moved from Wittelsbacher palace to the Luitpold gymnasium the day that the alleged massacre of hostages occurred. Evidence adduced during the day showed that this "inner council" included M. Axelrod, a Russian radical; Lewis Nissen and Dr. Max Levison, Bavarian communist leaders, and ten women from the Munich "tenderloin."

The day's examination showed that the principal councilors were aware of the plan to kill the hostages and that several of them visited the victims in the cellar. When the hostages made complaints, according to the evidence, they were blandly told: "You are done for, anyway."

DISREGARD FOR LAW SHOWN BY WILSON SCORED

Sherman Attacks Announcement of Holding International Labor Conference

Washington, Sept. 5.—President Wilson's declaration in his address yesterday at Columbus, Ohio, that the international labor conference provided for in the Peace Treaty would be held next month regardless of whether the Senate had ratified the Peace Treaty in the meantime was attacked in the Senate to-day by Senator Sherman, Republican, Illinois.

Declaring the President's declaration indicates "contemptuous disregard" for the law, the Illinois Senator said:

Impeached For Less

"Public officials have been impeached for less flagrant violation of the law of our country than this."

"Next month," said Senator Sherman, "we are notified, the President proposes to assemble in this country the representatives of various countries under the labor articles of a Treaty unratified by our country. It is his declared purpose to convene on American soil, a meeting of alien governments with our own, regardless of whether the Treaty has become law of the Republic or not."

Demagogical Act

"Limiting the laborers of this country to the narrow definition of the President even, there is no land in which the demands of labor are well and cared for as ours. This paragraph of the President's address is a proclamation of disregard for the lawless, a covert invitation to the ever-present dissatisfied restless element to demand what they will."

Playing With Fire

"The President has already played with fire brands sufficiently to have informed him of the danger. He has yoked himself up with revolutionaries so frequently as to know he cannot check their mad race to the goal of lawlessness. His open declaration that he proposes to convene on American soil, radicals as well as others from foreign governments and contemptuous disregard of the United States Government. Again we have one who declared 'I am the state.' Have the American people quit electing Presidents and begin to elect Kings? Public officials have been impeached for flagrant violation of the laws of their country than this."

HERSHEY SOLDIER IS DECORATED BY FRANCE

The award of the Medaille Militaire and a citation in the Ordre d'Armee is announced by the local recruiting office to Sergeant Grover Shekart, of Hershey. The presentation of the medal will probably be made at the homecoming celebration to be staged for the Harrisburg men the latter part of this month.

ALL READY TO REPORT TREATY WITH CHANGES

Four Reservations and Thirty-Eight Direct Amendments Are Proposed

DOCTRINE INTERPRETED

Withdrawal From the League and Domestic Questions Are Also Affected

By Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 5.—Senator McCumber, Republican, North Dakota, to-day made public and later discussed in the Senate the reservation to Article ten of the League of Nations advocated by the Republican Senators favoring less drastic reservations than those adopted yesterday by the Foreign Relations Committee. It would merely define the limitations of Congress to undertake territorial guarantees.

Washington, Sept. 5.—By non-partisan action the Senate Foreign Relations Committee late yesterday voted to report the peace treaty to the Senate with four reservations and thirty-eight direct amendments.

Senator Shields, Democrat, of Tennessee, aligned himself with the Republican majority on all but one reservation, while Senator McCumber, Republican, voted with the Democrats on the reservation on the withdrawal provision of the treaty and also against that touching upon Article X and XI.

The four reservation written by Senator Lodge are as follows: By a vote of 9 to 7 the committee adopted a reservation regarding Article X providing that the United States "declines to assume" any territorial obligation or mandate without express resolution of Congress.

The Monroe Doctrine reservation adopted 11 to 6, declares the United States shall be its interpreter. By the same vote the committee adopted the resolution providing that tariff, immigration and similar domestic and political affairs of the United States shall be determined by that nation alone without intervention of the league.

The withdrawal reservation was adopted by a vote of 9 to 8, and provides that the United States reserves the right under the provisions of the treaty to withdraw from the league. The reservations were incorporated in a resolution of ratification which will be the vehicle for disposition of the treaty by the Senate.

After adoption of four reservations the committee ordered the treaty reported to the Senate. A record vote was not taken.

Amendments Adopted Before

The thirty-eight amendments are those adopted earlier by the majority of the committee. In effect there are but four of them, for thirty-five touch upon the same point. These four are: 1. To give the United States six votes in the League Council and Assembly instead of one to equalize the voting strength of this country with that of Great Britain.

2. To exclude the United States from participation in the various commissions created under the League of Nations, excepting upon the reparations commission, which will deal with the indemnities Germany must pay.

3. The Shantung amendments, offered by Senator Lodge, to restore the former German privileges of the Shantung peninsula to China, instead of giving them to Japan.

4. An amendment, offered by Senator Moses, of New Hampshire, to prevent nations interested in any controversy coming before the League Council from taking part in their consideration or settlement.

School Board Meets to Study Conditions in Junior High Schools

Action may be taken late this afternoon at the regular School Board meeting on the assignment of pupils to the Junior High Schools. Under the present arrangement about 500 pupils in the seventh and eighth grades are given assignment to the southern sections of the city are not attending the new schools, but have resumed studies in the grade buildings.

Because of this arrangement which bars about 500 boys and girls from the advantages of the new schools there has been opposition among members of the Board plan to discuss the situation at to-day's session.

A number of suggestions for changes in the present assignment of pupils in the seventh and eighth grades have been made and it is expected all of these are to be considered. Dr. F. E. Downes, city school superintendent, submitted a report on the junior school situation at the meeting this afternoon.

KILLED BY BANDITS

Nogales, Ariz., Sept. 5.—A. P. Hennessey, an American truck driver, formerly employed in the irrigation service at Nogales, and four Mexican Federal soldiers, acting as escort to a truck operated by the San Xavier Mining Company were killed by Yaquis Tuesday, according to reliable information received by forwarding agents of the Laughlin Mining Company here yesterday. The information came from Miguel Lopez, Federal judge at Coronado. The Indians attacked a truck carrying powder and supplies to the San Xavier mine, according to the message.

Petition For Extra Hour of Sunshine

MANY persons who are anxious to have the present system of daylight saving continued next year and who may not have the opportunity of signing the regular petitions urging Council to take such action as will provide an extra hour of daylight, are requested to sign the statement below and mail it to this office, care of the Editorial Department:

"I, the undersigned, do hereby heartily endorse the Harrisburg Telegraph's movement for the continuation of the Daylight-Saving system in Harrisburg, and I earnestly petition the members of City Council and the Mayor to take such action as will give next year the extra hour of daylight. I also petition Congress to reconsider its action in repealing this highly commendable law."

Name Address

CAPITOL PARK PLANS GET CONSIDERATION

Return of Governor Sproul Gives Impetus to Big Improvement Project; City Ready to Go Ahead

Governor Sproul having returned from the West is now giving his attention to certain official matters which were held in abeyance until his return from the conference of Governors at Salt Lake City. Among other things he will give immediate consideration to the plans for the Capitol Park development, especially as they affect the widening of Third and Walnut streets.

These highways are much coveted and the city authorities are anxious that the work shall proceed without delay. Arnold W. Brunner, architect of the Capitol scheme of treatment, expressed some doubt on his last visit as to the wisdom of the street changes proposed until work was started on the extension section of the park. It is believed, now, however, that the removal of the sidewalk along Capitol Park in Walnut and Third streets and the extension of the street paving to the present park lines need not be held up.

City Is Ready

City Commissioner Lynch said to-day that his department could begin work on the widening of the streets within a week and the increasing congestion makes him anxious to undertake the work as soon as possible. Under an ordinance passed by City Council last December it is provided that in Third street, between Second and North, and in Walnut street, from Third to Fourth, the sidewalks shall be sixteen feet wide. This would leave a clear highway width of forty-eight feet on both streets. The sidewalk on the west side of Third street will be sixteen feet except in front of the post office, where it will remain fifteen feet at present. There will be sixteen and one-half feet on either side of the double tracks of the Harrisburg Railways Company in both streets. This will provide space for the passing of an automobile between a street car on either track and an automobile standing along the curb on either side of the street. City Engineer Cowden also provide for the elimination of the serious angle in Third street at South, which will be replaced by a long curve above and below South street.

The ordinance of last December provides for the changes in Third street and another ordinance passed last March covers the proposed changes in Walnut street. There has been appropriated for this work \$30,000 and there is nothing now in the way of the improvement save

After ROLLS OF BALLPLAYERS

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Professional baseball players and umpires employed in New York State during the present season, although residents of other States, are liable to the new State income tax law, Comptroller Eugene M. Travis ruled to-day.

DAYLIGHT SAVING IS ENDORSED BY MANY SIGNATURES

Telegraph Prints, by Request, Single Petitions For General Circulation

Heartily response is being given by citizens of Harrisburg in the campaign to provide an "extra hour of daylight" for the city in summers of come. Scores of the petitions have been circulated by the editorial department, among the lovers of the outdoors and the circulators are pleased at their success.

Signatures to petitions, which are addressed to City Council and which ask various Harrisburg organizations to get back to the movement, have been received in gratifying quantities. Officials of the several twilight baseball leagues and of various youth organizations, which are now being circulated, may affix their signatures to the blank and mail it without delay to the City Editor of the Telegraph. The returned blanks and the regularly printed petitions will be kept separate.

WILSON SEEKS TO AVERT STEEL WORKERS' STRIKE

Agrees to Bring About Conference Between Representatives and Corporation

Washington, Sept. 5.—President Wilson has agreed to undertake to bring about a conference between representatives of the steelworkers and of the United States Steel Corporation in an effort to avert a threatened strike.

The President was asked in a telegram sent him to-day by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and the committee of steelmen to say whether a conference could be arranged before next Tuesday, when the presidents of the twenty-four international unions in the steel industry

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MR. MEETCH TOMORROW

The funeral of William B. Meetch, who died Wednesday morning, will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence, 1620 North Second street. The Rev. Dr. Robert Bagnell, pastor of Grace Methodist Church, will have charge of the services. Burial will be made in the East Harrisburg cemetery.

ARRESTS FEWER BY 40 PER CENT. IN "DRY" CITY

Police Work Cut Nearly in Half With Rum Barred

LESS RECKLESS DRIVING

First Eight Months See But 567 as Compared With 975 Last Year

Arrests during the first eight months of this year show a decrease of 40 per cent. over those made during the same period of 1919, according to figures compiled by Earl M. White, police clerk. Arrests from January 1 to August 31, inclusive, this year total 941 as compared to 1,545 during the same period of 1918. Prohibition is believed to have played a big part in the decrease.

The biggest decrease is shown in the number of disorderly practice arrests which this year are 547 as compared to 975 in 1918. Traffic ordinances have been more carefully observed by motorists this year and the number of arrests on this charge has fallen off more than one-half, the figures being 129 in 1919, and 286 in 1918.

Many Are Sentenced

Of the 941 persons haled into police court, evidence sufficient to convict was brought in 707 cases, punishment of various sorts being inflicted in that number. Of the 230 instances, the persons arrested were discharged, while on 33 occasions they were held for other juries. The remaining four cases were pending at the time the report was compiled.

But on a case of pocket picking has been reported in Harrisburg during the eight months. There were such cases, highway robbery were reported this year and four last year, while 17 assault and battery cases are known by the police to have occurred this year. An even score was reported during the first eight months of 1918.

Patrol wagon calls have fallen from 964 to 813.

Robberies on Increase

Robberies, however, have been more numerous in Harrisburg this year, being more than fifty per cent. greater than during an equal period of last year. This year, a total of 233 have been reported as compared to a record of 148 for last year. Higher living costs are blamed in many instances for this increase.

The total value of property stolen was \$35,356, of which almost two-thirds has been recovered. The ex-owners of the property were valued at \$24,640. Last year \$22,596 worth of property was taken, of which the amount recovered was valued at \$30,160.50.

Assail Burleson as "Heartless;" Deny Him Honorary Membership

Denver, Col., Sept. 5.—Honorary membership in the Association of Western Union Employees, a national organization, was denied Postmaster General Burleson at the annual conference of the association to-day. A report of the committee on resolutions was adopted recommending that a resolution extending honorary membership to Burleson be rejected. The report said that Mr. Burleson "expressed no compunction in rejecting the association's agreement with the company to pay for Sunday work and kept the association in a dangerous and nervous suspense for three long months before expressing his decision."

Consumers Will Be Represented at Capital and Labor Meet, Oct. 6

Washington, Sept. 5.—The conference called by President Wilson to discuss relations between labor and industry will meet in Washington October 6 and will be composed of five persons selected by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, five by the National Industrial Conference Board, fifteen by the American Federation of Labor, three by farming organizations, and three by investment bankers and fifteen representatives of the public.

RUMANIAN NOTE FIRM

Paris, Sept. 5.—The note of the Supreme Council which Sir George R. Clerk of the British Foreign Office is carrying to Bucharest is couched in firm but cordial language, according to the Petit Parisien to-day. It says the communication recalls to the Rumanian cabinet the engagements it had entered into and sets forth the necessity of their being kept.

MORE OF FIRST LAND

New York, Sept. 5.—Another contingent of the first division, numbering 1,868 officers and men, arrived here to-day from Brest on the transport Zeppelin. Other units of the first division arrived from Brest on the transport De Kalb, which brought 33 officers and 690 men.

ITALIAN WOMEN TO VOTE

Rome, Thursday, Sept. 4.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day passed the bill giving Italian women the right of suffrage.

TAX SLEUTHS TO SEARCH HOMES

By Associated Press.

Berlin, Thursday, Sept. 4.—The Ministry of Finance has empowered tax sleuths to enter private premises, to search them from cellar to garret and to force strong boxes in the general roundup of eligible taxpayers. protests, it is understood, will be unavailing.

MAYOR KEISTER TO TAKE TRIP IN ARMY AIRPLANE

Four Aviators Will Do Acrobatics Over the City For Thirty Minutes

Mayor Daniel L. Keister will have an opportunity of viewing for the first time to-morrow, the city over which he holds sway as chief executive. It was announced to-day that he will be one of the few Harrisburgers who will go aloft with the bird-men in the circus squadron of army aviators who are now at Middletown, Md. Four fliers are included in the party, which is now located at the Middletown Aviation Depot. To-morrow evening the men flying their planes in formation, will encircle the city between 4 and 5 o'clock, and will thrill the citizens with their exhibitions of daring acrobatic stunts. The

Track Foreman, Struck by Car, Is Badly Hurt

Struck by a Harrisburg Railways Company car this morning, Daniel Rissinger, 2132 North Seventh street, track foreman, is in a serious condition in the Harrisburg Hospital. He is suffering from a probable fracture of the skull, a severely lacerated scalp and lacerations of the limbs.

Rissinger was walking north in the car tracks between Briggs and Forster streets, when a southbound Queen Elizabeth car struck him. He is placed on a fracture table, being massaged by the time of the accident, and taken to the hospital.

ROYAL COUPLE SAILS SEPT. 22

Brussels, Sept. 5.—(Havas)—It is announced that King Albert and Queen Elizabeth, with Crown Prince Leopold, will sail on September 22 for the United States, on an American warship.

QUIEN IS CONDEMNED TO DEATH

Paris—Georges Gaston Quien, on trial before a court martial charged with having had treasonable dealings with the Germans of having betrayed Edith Cavell to them, was to-day convicted and condemned to death.

U.S. MUST FULFILL ITS PART

St. Louis—Speaking late to-day at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon, President Wilson said that this nation could not attain the full measure of nationalism without fulfilling its part in the family of nations.

DEPOSED PRESIDENT OF PERU HERE

New York—Jose Pardo Barreda, twice president of Peru, who was deposed in a "bloodless" revolution at Lima July 4 arrived here to-day from Colombia. Senator Pardo was accompanied by his wife, mother-in-law and six children.

WANT U. S. MARINES TO POLICE FIDOME

PARIS — IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE COMMISSION OF ALLIED GENERALS SENT TO INVESTIGATE DISTURBANCES THERE IN WHICH FRENCH SOLDIERS WERE KILLED HAS MADE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE PEACE CONFERENCE WHICH INCLUDE MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC ORDER IN FIDOME BY AN AMERICAN AND BRITISH FORCE, MARINES FORMING THE AMERICAN CONTINGENT.

GEN. MURGUIA IN COMMAND OF OIL FIELDS

Calcutta—Gen. Francisco Murguia has been given command of the oil fields of the Mexican states of Tamaulipas, Coahuila and Vera Cruz, where Mexico's principal oil fields are located.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Melvin W. Parker, Lancaster, and Clara J. Barber, Augusta, Wis.; Reuben J. Rastler and Lucy A. Lockery, Harrisburg; Daniel J. Crowley, Steelton, and Susan Y. Gruber, Lbanau.